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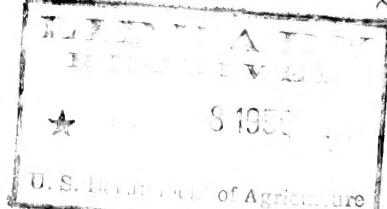


Hilltop Farms,  
Morrison, Ill.

Fall 1949 -- Spring 1950

G L A D I O L U S

Prepaid Prices



**OUR GUARANTEE:** We guarantee all bulbs purchased from us to be true to name, up to size and free of disease and insect pests. So certified by Chief Plant Inspector of the State of Illinois.

**EXTRAS:** Extras will be included in all orders in proportion to the size of the order.

**SHIPMENTS:** We will try to get our orders out as quickly as possible. Your acknowledgment card will carry the approximate shipping date. We will make every effort to give satisfactory service. All shipments under this heading will be sent PREPAID.

FIVE bulbs may be purchased at the 10 rate.

VARIETY	per	lge.	med.	small	per	blts.
Abu Hassan, deep violet blue, nice	1	.15	3-.25	2-.10	10	.25
Aladdin, large ruffled salmon	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.25
Algonquin, one of best com. scarlets	10	.50	.30	.20	50	.15
Alta, rose pink, plum throat blotch	1	.10	3-.20	5-.20	50	.20
American Commander, huge med. red	2	.20	.15	4-.20	50	.15
Angelus, nice late pink	3	.15	5-.15	5-.10	50	.20
Annamae, early snow white, com.	10	.65	.40	.25	100	.30
Arethusa, ruffled buff apricot	3	.25	4-.25	5-.20	50	.15
Avalon, beautiful, rosy pink	1	.10	2-.15	2-.10	100	.25
Badger beauty, good lavender	10	.45	.30	.20	25	.20
Bagdad, large plum smoky	3	.25	4-.25	5-.20	50	.15
Barcarole, ruffled buff orange, nice	10	.45	.25	.15	100	.20
Beacon, salmon scarlet, cream throat, com.	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.15
Beltrami, beautiful smoky rose	3	.25	4-.25	5-.20	50	.15
Better Times, better blue	1	.50	.25	.15	10	.25
Berty Snow, early large lavender	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Beverly, good com. purple	2	.20	4-.25	5-.20	50	.25
Bill Sowden, large dk red, heavy texture	2	.15	3-.20	4-.20	50	.25
Bingo, creamy white sport of Picardy	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Bit O Heaven, late com. orange	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Black Opal, very good dark red	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Blessed Damosel, new ruffled beautiful pink	2	.30	.20	.10	12	.20
Blue Beauty, large light blue, com.	10	.50	.40	.30	100	.20
Polero, novel blotched orange	2	.20	3-.20	4-.20	40	.25
Frilliant Light, orange scarlet, yellow lip	2	.25	3-.25	4-.25	50	.25
Burgundy, brilliant velvety crimson	2	.25	.15	.10	25	.20
Burma, very fine ruffled deep rose	2	.25	.15	.10	25	.20
Capsicum, deep pink, good	1	.25	.20	.15	15	.25
Camellia, bluish white, tinted pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Candy Heart, flesh pink, carmine blotch	2	.15	.10	.05	50	.30
Casablanca, fine new com. white	2	.15	.10	.05	30	.25
Charmouny, light cerise	3	.20	.15	.10	50	.25
Cherry Jam, deep sal. cherry blotch, nice	1	.25	.15	.10	20	.25
Colonial maid, tall light lavender	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Collossus, large early light pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Convoy, tall, large purple	5	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Coral Glow, huge beautiful orange red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Corona, lge creamy white, good com.	2	.10	4-.15	6-.15	100	.20
Crimson Glow, nice crimson	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Crinkles, very ruffled rose	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Critirion, beautiful light pink, 100% cutter	2	.15	4-.20	5-.20	50	.20
Daisy Mae, orangy pink, good	1	.10	.08	.05	25	.25
Desert Gold, deep gold	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Dream Castle, light coral, lovely	2	.15	.10	2-.15	25	.50
Dream O Beauty, American beauty rose	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Early Rose, bright rose, dark throat	3	.20	4-.25	6-.20	50	.20
Elizabeth, the Queen, new lavender, good	3	.20	3-.15	4-.20	100	.20
Ithel Cave Cole, large light pink, com.	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Excellence, large early red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Exclusive, ruffled white, rose feather	2	.25	.20	.15	10	.25
Exemplor, very good ruffled salmon	2	.20	.15	.10	20	.15
Lair Angel, large exhibition cream	10	.60	.45	.30	50	.20
Financee, lovely white pink blend	2	.15	2-.20	2-.15	10	.20
Firebrand, deep scarlet, nice	1	.20	.15	.10	15	.20
Flora Farmer, lge ruffled pink	10	.20	.15	.10	50	.20
Francis Irwin, lavender rose, fine	3	.30	2-.15	4-.15	25	.15
Gardenia, good commercial cream	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Gerghis Kham, large ruffled pink	1	.50	.35	.25	20	.25
Golden Buff, a lovely buff	2	.15	3-.15	5-.20	50	.25
Golden Cup, nice yellow	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Golden Dream, golden yellow	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20

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Golden State, rich yellow, good	1	.15	2-.20	.15	20	.25
Golden Fenton, one of best yellows	1	.10	2-.15	.10	50	.15
Gracie Allen, lge clear deep scarlet	1	.25	2-.30	2-.20	20	.25
Creta Garbo, light rose, creamy lip	10	.15	.30	.20	100	.20
Grand Master, good velvet red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Harmay, fine large deep rose	2	.15	1-.20	4-.15	100	.20
Havkeye Red, fine bright red sport of V. Prince	2	.20	3-.15	.20	25	.20
High Finance, fine smoky orange	3	.30	.15	.10	25	.20
High Life, light blue, good size	1	.40	.25	.10	6	.25
Hi-Hat, orange pink, good	1	.20	2-.30	2-.25	5	.25
H. P. Hancock, rose, light throat, nice	1	.15	2-.20	2-.15	20	.30
Huntress, early lavender	1	.50	.40	.30	25	.50
Ioka, fine blotched red smoky	2	.25	.20	3-.20	25	.25
Imperial Purple, bright deep purple	1	.20	2-.25	4-.25	10	.25
Intrepid, orange salmon smoky	3	.20	4-.25	5-.20	30	.20
Intruder, fine new massive red, good	1	.75	.50	.35	10	.20
Isola Bella, lavender pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Ivory Keys, nice ivory white	10	.90	.45	.30	50	.25
Jeanie, lovely pink, cream throat	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Jersey Cream, a lovely cream	2	.15	3-.20	1-.15	100	.20
Journeys End, fine deep salmon	1	.45	2-.50	2-.25	20	.25
Jules Amot, medium red	2	.30	.20	.15	30	.25
Kenwood, large deep red	2	.15	3-.20	4-.15	100	.20
Kestrel, robust orange	1	.40	.30	.20	20	.25
King Arthur, ruffled rosy lavender	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
King Bee, flaming scarlet, flaked darker	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
King Click, tall bright red, nice	2	.15	3-.20	4-.15	100	.20
King Lear, early tall ruffled purple, com.	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
King Tan, rosy tan	2	.15	3-.20	4-.15	30	.20
Lady Jane, good com., & exhibition cream	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Lantana, fine early orange and gold	2	.20	.15	.10	50	.20
Lavender Prince, deep lav., nice	1	.45	.30	.15	20	.30
Lavender Queen, beautiful deep lav., good	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Leading Lady, very fine cream white	2	.25	2-.20	2-.10	25	.20
Legend, lge light pink, white throat	10	.90	.45	.30	50	.20
Leona, rich ruffled rose red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Liberator, rich scarlet, good	2	.25	3-.30	5-.20	50	.20
Maid of Orleans, cor white	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Magnolia, large light creamy rose	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Malta, large begonia rose	1	.25	.15	.10	25	.20
Namie, tall salmon pink, light throat, good	3	.30	4-.25	5-.25	5	.25
Narcissaire, brilliant deep rose, nice	1	.25	2-.30	2-.20	10	.20
Margaret Peaton, large white scarlet blotch	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Margaret Fulton, early commercial rich pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Marie Antoinette, salmon pink, violet red blotch	1	.25	2-.35	2-.25	15	.25
Marion Pearl, large beautiful pink	1	.60	.40	.25	4	.25
Marqueeta, large orange, red blotch, good	1	.20	.15	.10	25	.20
Master Myron, good large red	1	.15	2-.20	4-.20	25	.20
Jaya Maid, attractive russet brown	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Maytime, soft salmon pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Mermaid, medium pink, cream throat, nice	2	.25	3-.30	4-.25	25	.20
Kiss Bloomington, early lemon yellow	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Kiss New Zealand, very large pink	2	.45	.30	.20	100	.50
Kiss Wisconsin, grand rose pink	1	.15	2-.25	2-.20	30	.20
Misty Dawn, gray salmon, orange red throat	2	.25	3-.25	4-.25	25	.20
Tarocco, glistening acp maroon red	2	.25	3-.25	4-.25	25	.20
Other Kadel, clear medium yellow, good	2	.15	4-.25	7-.20	100	.20
Other Machree, orange, gray lavender	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Mercury, vermillion red	2	.20	3-.25	4-.20	100	.50
Mr. Index, giant early white, good	2	.25	.15	.10	100	.50
Myrna, large ruffled creamy white	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Myrna Fox, early lav., tops	1	.15	2-.20	4-.30	40	.25
Nowadays, soft peachy rose	1	.25	.20	.15	10	.25
Sorita, large rose salmon	10	.90	.50	.30	50	.25
Oriental Pearl, fine largest cream	1	.15	2-.25	2-.15	50	.75
Pacifica, early ruffled white	1	.10	2-.15	4-.25	50	.25
Palermo, large ruffled flame orange	2	.15	4-.20	5-.15	100	.20
Paradise, nice peach salmon	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Pomosus, large purple, good	10	.80	.50	.30	50	.20
Perfume, best scented cut glad	1	.20	.15	.10	50	.25
Legrina, rich dark blue	10	.45	.20	.20	100	.20
Coocoo, large, bright pink and white	1	.25	2-.30	2-.20	50	.20
Jay Mc Quiston, beautiful light rose	10	.15	.30	.20	100	.20
Nicardy, salmon pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Pink Paragon, pure pink, white throat	3	.30	.20	.15	20	.20
Pink Radiance, good light pink	2	.15	3-.30	5-.20	50	.20

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Pioneer, deep pink, cream throat	1	.50	.35	.25	5	.25
Poets Dream, beautiful ruffled lavender					5	.25
Porcelain Blue, good	1	1.00	1.00	.75	1	.30
Primrose Princess, large soft yellow	10	.10	.30	.20	100	.20
Purple Beauty, clear deep purple	10	.60	.50	.30	50	.20
Purple Supreme, good bright purple	3	.30	4-.25	5-.25	50	.20
R.B., giant bronze and old rose	3	.30	4-.25	5-.20	100	.20
Red Charm, good medium dark red	3	.30	4-.25	5-.20	25	.15
Red Penny, early com. scarlet, good	3	.30	4-.25	5-.10	50	.20
Red Rascal, lovely ruffled red	1	1.00	.75	.50	25	1.00
Regent, good scarlet red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Revi Fallon, large dark red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Rio Rita, large ruffled orange, nice	1	.20	.15	.10	30	.20
Rocket, light red, cor	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Rosa Van Lima, com early large rose pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Rosy Morn (Ril.), rich light coral rose	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Royal Pledge, light red, yellow throat	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Sensation, large salmon rose	10	.90	.65	.30	50	.20
Sept White, large late white	10	.45	.30	.15	50	.20
Shirley Temple, large ruffled cream	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Signet, clear ruffled white	2	.30	3-.30	4-.25	10	.25
Silentium, white with carmine throat	2	.10	3-.20	4-.25	100	.20
Silver Wings, good creamy white	1	.25	.20	.15	20	.25
Smiling Maestro, large salmon rose	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Snowbank, nice ruffled white	10	.90	.50	.25	50	.25
Snow Princess, com white, good	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Sonatine, lovely pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Southern Drama, large scarlet, nice	2	.30	3-.30	4-.25	100	.25
Spotlight, deep yellow, red blotch, lovely	2	.40	.25	3-.25	20	.25
Stoplight, very good ruffled red	3	.30	4-.25	5-.25	100	.20
Summer Gal, ruffled geranium pink	1	1.00	.75	.50	5	.10
Sunlight, beautiful new light orange	1	.50	.35	.20	25	.20
Surfside, another good white	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Susquehanna, peach buff, creamy throat	2	.35	3-.25	3-.25	25	.20
Sweetheart, an early pink and white	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Sympathy, tall large delicate pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Tiptop, very lovely pink	3	.25	.20	.15	50	.25
Tokon, ruffled flame salmon	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Tunias Blue, a good blue	2	.35	.25	.20	20	.25
Tunias Mahomet, plus rose	1	.30	.25	.15	20	.35
Tuts' Both, pastel orange, blue tongue	1	.30	.25	.20	5	.25
Twilight Rose, corise rose, good	2	.25	.20	.15	25	.20
Vagabond Prince, bronze, blue blotch	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Valeria, commercial light red	10	.80	.50	.30	50	.20
Van Gold, early large deep yellow	2	.25	3-.25	4-.25	50	.25
Veecream, light yellow, scarlet blotch	3	.25	2-.15	2-.10	25	.20
Variation, good cool pink	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Voo Doo, large ruffled smoky purple	1	.40	.30	.20	5	.20
Vredenburgh, large early white	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Watsaga, nice buff	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
White Gold, large beautiful cream	10	.45	.30	.20	50	.20
Winston, fine ruffled cream, popular	2	.15	4-.20	4-.15	50	.20
Wurtembergia, rose red	10	.45	.30	.20	100	.20
Zacatey, massive milk white, carmine markings	1	.25	.15	.10	50	.20

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These collections are not a mixture of discarded varieties but contain many high priced varieties and some of our interesting seedlings plus some very good standard varieties. (In more than 20 varieties.)

No. 1: 100 large bulbs, 1" and up, price \$1.25 prepaid in U.S.A.  
 No. 2: 100 medium bulbs,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " to 1", price \$3.25 prepaid in U.S.A.

These two collections, if labelled, would cost at least 50% more. 50 bulbs may be ordered at same rate.

No. 3: 100 bulbs, large size, in newer, higher priced varieties, price \$4.75 prepaid in U.S.A.

No. 4: 100 bulbs, same as collection #3, but in medium size, price \$4.25.

These two collections are the best value you can get at these prices. 50 at same rate. Liberal allowance of extras.

Wholesale Cash Prices  
Quantity Prices per 1000

F.C.B. Morrison, Ill.  
Not Less Than 100 at the 1000 rate

	Per 1000					Bulblets		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	qt.	Bu.
Berty Snow	24	20	17	14	10	7	1.00	
Barcarale	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Callossus	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Camellia	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Corona			20	17	15	12	1.00	
E. C. Cole	24	20	17	14	10	7	1.50	
Gardenia	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Jeanie	24	20	17	14	10	7	1.50	
King Bee	24	20	17	14	10	7	1.00	
King Lear	24	20	17	14	10	7	1.00	
Margaret Fulton	15	11	8	6	3	2	1.00	10.00
Paradise	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Phyllis McQuiston	15	11	8	6	3	2	1.00	
Picardy	19	17	15	11	7	5	1.00	
Primrose Princess	15	11	8	6	3	2	1.00	
Rocket	24	20	17	14	10	7	2.00	
Token	15	11	8	6	4	2	1.00	
Silentum	25	22	18	15	10	7	1.00	
Sonatine	19	14	11	7	4	2	1.00	
Florists, rainbow mixed	13	11	9	6	3	2	.75	5.00

Additional bulblets per qt., hand cleaned. Pt. at  $\frac{1}{2}$  qt. price. Badger Beauty, Beacon, Lady Jane, Rosa Van Lina, Royal Pledge, Rosy Morn, Surfside, Vagabond Prince, Winston, \$1.50 per qt.

GLADIOLUS SEED--This season we saved only seed from spikes in our test garden--all are open pollinated--and all are from new varieties introduced in the past three years. Most are from 1948 or 1949 introductions or from trial seedlings grown for test. No record of parentage was kept--but all seed when picked was thrown into one grand mixture. (Packet of 100 seeds, 25¢)

GLADIOLUS SEEDLING BULBLETS-- Last season we offered unbloomed seedling bulbs. The demand was so great that we had nothing left to plant for ourselves except those which were very small, nothing larger than  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inch in diameter. We were so amazed at the quality of their blooms that we will plant all of them back for a second year check from larger size bulbs. We expect to plant back all of their bulblets except those few that our customers may want. Since we grew 4000 different seedlings it is not probable that any two bulblets will come from the same parent bulb. After seeing those that bloomed, we think that this will be as good an investment in garden joy as you could make. We offer these bulblets at the following price: 15-25¢; 100-\$1.00.

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Open package as soon as received. Examine your bulbs, and, if you are not ready to plant, store them in your vegetable cellar or a place where it is not too warm or too cold. All Glad bulbs must be dipped before planting in order to kill any thrips or disease that may be on them. We use Lysol: One and one-half tablespoonful per gallon of water. Soak bulbs three hours just before planting. Any water container will do. Do not plant near buildings, heavy rooted plants such as trees, etc. Spraying and dusting for thrip, we have used the two following formulas.

DDT Spray: 2 rounded teaspoonfuls DDT (50%) wettable, 1 teaspoonful Dreft; 2 gallons water, mix well and spray every week or ten days when foliage is about 8 or 10 inches high.

DDT Dust for thrip: 5% DDT dust and we use a roto dust gun. This is the quickest and easiest control. As effective as spraying but very much faster. We dust once in about every 10 days after foliage is 8 or 10 inches high. Do not use DDT dust on blooms as it will spot.

If you send us names of friends that grow Glads, with your orders, we will add extra bulbs as a reward.

These are State inspected bulbs. We try to and observe the fact that making friends is very essential to our business.

Sincerely yours,

HILLTOP FARMS, Morrison, Illinois